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Guide to the

Mathew Brady registers

1863-1865

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Summary

Creator: Brady, Mathew B., 1823 (ca.)-1896

Title: Mathew Brady registers

Date: 1863-1865

Size: .3 linear feet (2 v.); 1 microfilm reel

Abstract: Mathew B. Brady (ca. 1823-1896) was among the most prominent of early photographers in the U.S. During the Civil War, he and his assistants went into the field to photograph Union troops and battles. Brady maintained studios in New York City and Washington, D.C. Registers of Mathew B. Brady pertain to business at his New York City studio and contain the names and addresses of the sitters, number and types of photographs taken, price and negative numbers, and other remarks. Registers include signatures of a number of persons prominent in New York history.

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Creator History

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Key Terms

Occupations

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Subjects

Portrait photography

Names

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